Year.	Committees.		Members.
1100	Text Book Committee (*cont*)	3	N. Gopalakrishna Ayyar
		4	T. P. Anantanarayana Ayyar
		5	K. A. Doraswami Ayyar
		6	L. S. Subbaraya Ayyar
		7	Rev. Father Pullocaren
		8	K. Rama Pisharodi
		9	Miss Helen Cruickshank
		10	Mrs. Velayudha Menon
		11	Miss George Elizabeth
		12	V. K. Droupati Amma
		13	P. Sankaran Nambiyar
		14	T. K. Krishna Menon
		15	C. Kunhirama Menon
1100	Trichur Palace Compound Improvement Committee.	1	The Chief Engineer
		2	The Chief Medical and Sanitary Officer
		3	The Superintendent of Agriculture and Panchayats
1101	The Board of Examiners.	1	The Director of Public Instruction (Ex-officio President)
		2	The Principal, Maharaja's College
		3	The Principal, St. Thomas' College
		4	The Senior Inspector of Schools
		5	S. K. Subrahmanya Ayyar, Professor, Maharaja's College
1100	Standing Finance Committee of the Cochin Legislative Council.	1.	Rao Bahadur T. S. Narayana Ayyar, (*President*)
		2.	P. Damodara Menon
		3.	K. Krishna Pisharodi
		4.	T. K. Krishna Menon (*Convener*)
		5.	C. A. Kunjunni Raja
		6.	C. A. Ouseph
		7.	C. Achyuta Menon

Motion for Adjournment for Purposes of Debate.

Mr. A. SANKARA PUDUVAL.

Sir, before the business is begun I desire to give notice that I want to move an adjournment motion.

President.—I do not think any other motion is made or attempted to be made. I mean it is not pressed for consideration to-day. That is how Mr. Kunjunni Raja's adjournment motion stands.

Mr. A. SANKARA PUDUVAL.

I am not aware of the fact that Mr. Kunjunni Raja first moved for an adjournment motion.

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President.—It is not to be pressed to-day. That is how the matter stands.

Mr. A. SANKARA PUDUVAL.

My motion is to be pressed to-day, subject of course to the President's discretion.

Mr. C. A. OUSEPH.

I support the motion of the Hon'ble Member from Trichur.

President.—This is only an urgent matter and not a definite matter of public importance. Is there any objection to the motion?

Mr. C. A. OUSEPH,

Any motion can be taken up, but it must be definite as far as possible.

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

This is a matter for further consideration, and the member may be asked to make it so while discussing the matter.

Mr. A. SANKARA PUDUVAL.

I invite your attention to Rule 20.

President.—I want to make a reference to the adjournment motion which was sent to me by Mr. Kunjunni Raja before I resume my seat. I had occasion to peruse that adjournment motion. Then I had a consultation with Mr. Kunjunni Raja, and he said that the members were not aware of the reasons which insisted the Government to adopt this step. With regard to the subject, I promise to issue a statement—a Press Communique—stating the reasons of the Government, and that will be published to-day. I did not think it proper to state the reasons in the notification. If you want only the reasons of the Government, I shall arrange to issue a Press Communique this evening, and I promised Mr. Kunjunni Raja too in that way.

Mr. A. SANKARA PUDUVAL.

Only after seeing the reasons of the Government, we wish to move in the matter.

President.—You may do it.

Mr. A. SANKARA PUDUVAL.

I do not bind myself to any undertaking unless I receive the communique.

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President.—Is it necessary for you to move at this stage before the Press Communique is issued? The communique will be issued this evening.

Order of Resolutions taken up for Discussion.

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

May I know whether the resolutions submitted for the discussion in this Council are in the ballotted order?

Mr. T. K. KRISHNA MENON.

Those that are to be brought before the Council are in the order in which they were ballotted.

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

Standing Order No. 6 (2).

"The relative precedence of notices of bills and resolutions given by non-official members shall be determined by ballot." The first resolution in that order is for introducing free compulsory education. The second is that this Council recommend that necessary steps should be taken as early as possible for the compulsory teaching of temperance in all recognised schools. And the third that this Council recommend that the Malayalam language should be made the medium of proceedings in all offices, including judgments, arguments and Government communications, except those with the Paramount Power.

Mr. A. B. SALEM.

I rise to a point of order. We shall raise the point about resolutions when we come to the first resolution. We shall take the point when we come to the first resolution. My point is that at this stage we should not.

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

I want only information about that.

President.—We shall take it up at the proper time. We shall pass on to the next item.

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

I want simply the matter to be brought before the notice of the Council.

THE COCHIN ELECTRICITY BILL.

Mr. K. ACHYUTA MENON.

I beg to move that the Draft Electricity Regulation be read in the Council.

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